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NORMAL OFFERS 60 SCHOLARSHIPS

ONE TO EACH COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

REGENTS SERIES FOR HIGH-GRADE PUPILS

Each Has Value of \$24 Annually and
Is Open to Every High School
in the District.

The State Normal school of Maryville is establishing and offering for the first time a definite series of scholarships, open to graduates of standard four-year high schools of its territory. These scholarships will be awarded at the annual commencement of the schools this spring, and will be available at the opening of the next school year, beginning September 1, 1916. Scholarships at present determined upon are of two series:

(a) The regents scholarship series. One scholarship to be awarded to the highest ranking student who will use it, selected from the six graduates ranking highest in the fourth year's work of the annual graduating class of each first class high school in the nineteen counties of this Normal school district, provided the student's average standing is that of medium rank or above.

(b) Each scholarship will be of the value of \$24.00, payable in three equal installments, or one-third at the beginning of the calendar month following the opening of each quarter in which the scholarship is used. The student will pay the usual incidental fees at the opening of the quarter.

(c) Holders of these scholarships may attend any three quarters of the school year, beginning September 1st of each year, preferably three consecutive quarters.

(d) The scholarships are valid only within the year for which they are awarded.

2. County superintendent scholarship series.

(a) One scholarship of the value of \$24.00 to be awarded annually through the county superintendent in each of the nineteen counties of the Fifth Normal school district, to be used during the school year, beginning September 1st following the award.

(b) These scholarships shall be awarded to persons nominated by the county superintendent who may most profit thereby, and who is preferably a graduate of a four-year high school.

(c) These scholarships shall be payable in the manner indicated under the regents scholarship series.

If each of these scholarships is used during each year, it will represent an attendance of approximately sixty new students from every part of the Normal school district each year, and the number will increase as the number of first class high schools increases.

The design of the President and regents in offering the scholarship is two-fold. It is their desire to increase the number of high school graduates in attendance at the State Normal school here, and to encourage attendance at the nearest high school upon young people in this district by putting the premium upon graduates of such institutions.

82 ANNAPOLIS CADETS DISMISSED

Poor Work in Studies Given as Cause by Naval Department.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, Feb. 11.—Secretary Daniels approved the report today recommending the dismissal of eighty-two cadets because of their poor work in their studies.

Judge Mayer Stanberry's Mayor. Judge Charles H. Mayer of St. Joseph has been asked by Judge W. C. Ellison to take charge of affairs at Stanberry until they can be straightened out. Since the death of the former mayor, James H. Price, H. C. Jones, president of the board of aldermen, is legally acting mayor, but jealous fellow councilmen will not attend meetings and the city is in hard lines.

WATCH WESTERN SKY SUNDAY WILL BE VISIBLE.

Beautiful "Double-Star," Caused by Conjunction of Venus and Jupiter

A beautiful astronomical phenomenon will be visible early in the evening of Sunday and Monday morning if the days are clear. The demonstration is known as the "conjunction" of Jupiter and Venus. No telescope will be required.

The two stars are the brightest of the planets and they will appear as a great double-star just after sunset close to the western horizon. They will be separated by less than half a degree. Venus is about the size of the earth and makes its orbit around the sun in 224 days. Jupiter gets around its orbit once every twelve of the earth's years.

MORE GUILTY PLEAS

WILLIAMS AND ARTHUR FINED
\$20 ON EACH COUNT.

COUNTY TO TRY MEN TOO

W. G. Sawyers, Prosecuting Attorney, Orders Arrests—Bonds Fixed at \$200 Again.

Ira "Shorty" Williams changed his plea of not guilty to guilty to gaming before Mayor Wright late yesterday afternoon and was fined \$20. Another one who was arrested for gaming, Eugene "Rags" Arthur, also changed his plea and pleaded guilty to two counts of gaming and one for drunkenness. He was fined \$20 on each count for gaming and \$5 for drunkenness.

The remaining one, Alfred Green, who was arrested for gaming with this party, had his case continued until 10 o'clock Monday morning.

Soon after the city had disposed of these cases, Prosecuting Attorney W. G. Sawyers issued information for the arrests of Bill McMillan, who pleaded guilty to gaming yesterday afternoon before Mayor Wright, and "Shorty" Williams. Their bond was fixed at \$200 apiece and their cases will come up at the April term of circuit court. The state will also issue warrants for the others who were arrested by the city. Jack Pennington, the first one to be convicted of gaming by the city, was arrested by the state. His bond was also fixed at \$200.

All of these men were arrested for gaming in a room over Binter & Lugar restaurant. The city will also probably make other arrests for gaming within the next few days.

Dudley Rice was arrested this afternoon on a charge of gaming by City Marshal E. E. Tilton as being in one of the gaming cases in the room over the Binter & Lugar restaurant. He pleaded not guilty to the charge before Mayor Wright and trial was set for Monday at 10 o'clock.

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Swiss Peace Meet is On

GERMAN ASSURANCES GIVEN SEVERAL DELEGATES.

Prince von Buelow With Leaders in Switzerland—Armistice Sought by Committee.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berne, Switzerland, Feb. 11.—The permanent committee for the establishment of lasting peace met today for the formal proposal for armistice. None of the belligerent countries were officially represented.

It is said, however, that some of the delegates have assurances from Berlin that Germany will give benevolent consideration to any peace overtures coming from the allies.

Prince von Buelow, generally considered the leader of the German peace propaganda, arrived at Lucerne today, accompanied by Prince Lohenlohe and Baron Kraft.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph yesterday to Lester S. Jasper of Ravenwood and Ella Bentley of Parnell.

W. A. Rickenbode returned Thursday night from Kansas City, where he attended the automobile show.

Broadway Feature—4 Acts The Barnstormers

with Myrtle Tanlau, Appearance in A Pair of Sixes

Music—Piano and Violin by Misses Ola and Hazel Smith

To-Night Fern Theatre 5c & 10c

THE APPOINTMENTS SAME AS WARSHIPS

ALL RENAMED EXCEPT HIGHWAY ENGINEER.

TEUTONS WILL NOT RECOGNIZE ARMED MERCHANTMEN.

PLACE IS LEFT UNFILLED

NO WARNING OF ATTACK

County Court Placed Salary at \$300—Reese Wants \$720 Without and Clary \$1,500 with Expenses.

England Again Aroused by German Plots in Which British Officials Are Arrested.

M. A. Peery, title examiner, Dr. F. M. Ryan, County Physician, E. R. Bailey, janitor at court house, Will Job, County Superintendent of Poor Farm.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Vienna, Feb. 11.—The Austro-Hungary admiralty announced that from February 29 armed enemy merchantmen will be treated as war ships, liable to attack without warning. The statement follows from issued from Berlin.

The above appointments were made by the county court in session this morning. There were three applications considered for county physician and member of health board by the court: Dr. Ryan, the present incumbent, Dr. Karl Malotte and Dr. F. C. Wallis.

M. A. Peery was the only applicant for title examiner. For janitor at the court house there were six applicants: E. R. Bailey, Will A. Lock, G. W. Irwin, H. C. Humphrey, Mark Dalrymple and Charles E. McClain. Two members of the court voted for Bailey and one vote was cast for Irwin. The salary of the janitor is \$50 a month. Bailey, the successful one, was the janitor of the court house last year.

No appointment was made for county highway engineer. There were two applications for this position, those of Joseph Reese and John H. Clary. The court decided that the salary of the county highway engineer should be \$300 a year. Reese wanted \$720, agreeing to pay his own expenses. Clary wanted \$1,500 and expense of travel. Will Job was reappointed as superintendent of the county farm, being the only applicant. His salary will be \$65 a month without any outside help, and \$50 a month with help.

Big German Plots in England. London, Feb. 11.—Government agents are conducting an investigation which may reveal the most serious German plots in England since the war began. The case is marked with the utmost secrecy and already involves one employee of the home office. Two arrests were made.

Greece Now Behind Premier. Athens, Feb. 11.—Premier Skouloudis' policy of neutrality was upheld by the chamber of deputies and a vote of confidence in the government carried largely today.

Bulgarian Troops Into Roumania. Lucerne, Feb. 11.—Swiss papers report that Bulgarian troops have invaded Roumania and they are opening hostilities between the two countries.

Crew Off Burning Steamer.

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Major General Scott, chief of the army staff, was designated by executive orders signed by President Wilson today to become acting secretary of war for thirty days.

Among the names which are being considered for the place are Frederick W. Lehmann of St. Louis, who was also mentioned for supreme justice, Secretary of Agriculture D. F. Houston and Joseph Tumulty, private secretary of the president.

Mr. Garrison's reason for quitting the cabinet was the refusal of President Wilson and congress to endorse his continental army plan in preference to the reorganization of the National Guard. The president refuses steadfastly to push any favored plans.

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We have four commissioners and the mayor, each one at the head of his own department and assuming all the responsibilities of such department. A great number of our citizens who were formerly opposed to commission form now admit that it is a great improvement over the old councilmanic system. I am inclosing herewith a printed statement showing the new form of government to be more economical and efficient than the old system.

Persons Poisoned Are Improved.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—The hundred persons who were poisoned at the ban-

quet to the Archbishop Mundelein, are

reported greatly improved today.

Twenty-four hours.

Norwegian Steamer Down.

Amsterdam, Feb. 11.—Norwegian steamer Vaarli hit a mine and sank.

Thirteen members of the crew were rescued after being in an open boat

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If I can furnish you with any further information, I shall be pleased to do so.

Very truly yours,

HUGH W. MACINDOE.

Mayor.

NO FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

Relatives of Mrs. John Scott in East Have Not Been Heard From.

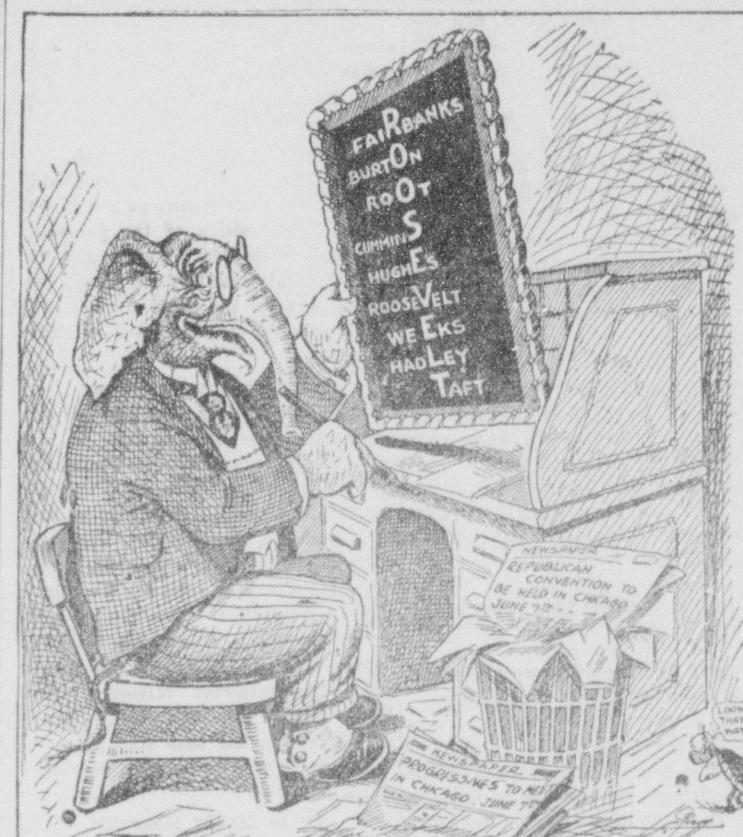
Mrs. John Scott, wife of the late John M. Scott, died at her home on West First street Thursday afternoon after a few days illness of pneumonia with complications.

Mrs. Scott was Rachel A. Watson before her marriage. She was born in Harrison county, Ohio, February 7, 1839. She was a member of the Presbyterian church and was a woman of a beautiful Christian character and loved by all who knew her. She is survived by a step-daughter, Mrs. Anna Cash of Cambridge, Ohio, and a half brother, Adam Watson of Cadiz, Ohio. Albert S. Watson, Mrs. S. W. Scott and Mrs. J. L. Scott are all cousins of Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. Scott is reported to have left an estate of \$125,000.

The funeral arrangements will not be made until word is received from relatives in the east.

THE SLATE.



—Gregg in Atlanta Constitution.

JOPLIN LIKES NEW FORM

MAYOR AND FATHER OF BILL WRITES TO THIS PAPER.

MAY GET CHICAGO TRAIN

EVENING BURLINGTON TO COME AT 7:40, SAYS RUMOR.

Hugh W. MacIndoe Says Many Who Opposed Change Now Favor Commission.

No Official Notice to W. E. Goforth, Agent, But He Heard of Change in Creston.

Joplin, the first city in Missouri to adopt the commission form of government, likes the new system.

Athens, Feb. 11.—Premier Skouloudis' policy of neutrality was upheld by the chamber of deputies and a vote of confidence in the government.

Information which was received today by The Democrat-Forum from an unofficial source was that the change would be made, commencing Sunday night, and that this train would leave Kansas

The Democrat-Forum

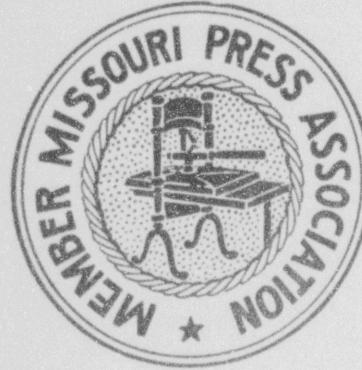
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Largest Circulation in
Nodaway County

Announcement.

We are authorized to announce J. H. Killion as a candidate for city marshal of the city of Maryville, subject to the city election to be held April 4, 1916.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. McKnight of King City for state senator from the first senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary election to be held the first Tuesday in August, 1916.

TO CALL ELECTION TONIGHT

Sufficient Number of Signers Secured
and Council Will Act—On Feb-
ruary 29 Probably.

As there are sufficient number of signers to the petition requesting the mayor to call an election to vote on the proposition of the commission form of government, such election call is mandatory and will be issued this evening at the meeting of the council.

The election date will probably be Tuesday, February 29. This will only permit of about two weeks campaign, but the advocates of that form of government think it is sufficient time for the purpose of informing the people on the advantages of that form.

TWO TO MONTGOMERY TRIO

H. L. Raines Team Loses to Shoe
Bunch in Bowling—High Score
and Average to Saunders.

The Montgomery Shoe company team won two out of three games last night from the H. L. Raines team. Saunders had high score of 182. Jamison had high average of 136. H. L. Raines team will play the Basford's Hand-Mades Tuesday night. The score: Montgomery Shoe Co. team—

Becker	123	116	142
Saunders	124	110	183
Stapler	144	123	90
Totals	391	349	415
H. L. Raines team—			
Woodburn	111	168	136
Jamison	119	156	134
Sillers	117	111	106
Totals	347	435	376

Will Return Tonight.

Mrs. D. C. Wilson and daughter, Miss Edith, who have been spending the last nine months in California will arrive here this evening.

AARON BEABOUT, 70, IS DEAD

Willeox Man Passed Away at 1:15 Today at Home—Was 70 Years Old.

Aaron Beabout died this morning at his home, a mile north of Wilcox, at 1:15 o'clock. The cause of his death was paralysis.

Mr. Beabout was born in Ohio and was 70 years, 11 months and 16 days old. He was married in 1844 to Miss Sarah Woods, and to them were born three children, of which one survives. He lived in eastern Missouri until fifteen years ago, when he moved to the farm near Wilcox.

He is survived by his wife and son, William of Rock Port, Mo., who was there at the time of his death. His brother, Elisha Beabout of Greencastle, Mo., will also attend the funeral. Mr. Beabout also is survived by seven grand children and seven great-grandchildren, who, with one exception, attended the funeral.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Wilcox church. The Rev. Mr. Chase of Clarinda, Ia., will conduct the services. Burial will be in Wilcox cemetery.

J. H. Thorp left last night for Kansas City, where he will attend a meeting of the Mutual Life insurance agents of Missouri.

Valentine Social Tonight
Rebekah Lodge
Admission 15¢

D. R. Eversole & Son

will receive in a few days the greatest line of Ladies Aprons ever shown in Maryville. Those who want something a little different from the ordinary kind will be well repaid for waiting. You will secure extra values we assure you if you wait.

Do Not Buy

any Ready-to-Wear Garments until you see what we will show. We have already received the hint that there are many new models being shown and our buyers are now on their way to purchase these. We will show again this season as usual the greatest line of Coats—Suits—Waists and Skirts ever shown in Maryville, and the prices will be reasonable too.

YOU'RE BILIOUS! LET
"CASCARETS" LIVEN
LIVER AND BOWELS

Don't Stay Headachy, Constipated,
Sick, With Breath Bad and
Stomach Sour.

Get a 10-cent box now.

You men and women who can't get feeling right—who have headache, coated tongue, bad taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have a bad cold.

Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular, and head clear for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—never gripe or sicken.

The Neighboring Towns Rejoice

That neighboring towns are rejoicing with Maryville over one of the greatest majorities ever given against a saloon in Missouri will be seen by the following clippings from our exchanges:

At the recent local option election held at Maryville, the city voted dry by majority of 702.

The people outside of the city are almost as well pleased as the people inside the city, for they think it will help the country at large.—Elmo Register.

Better Support for Normal.

Word was received here early Friday morning from Maryville, on the "wet or dry" proposition of the preceding day there were 894 for dry, and 192 for wet.

This certainly presages a better support for the State Normal than had it gone the other way.—Mound City Journal.

Whole State in Four Years.

All Maryville was well pleased with the local option election held in that city last Thursday. The town went dry by 702 majority. The vote was 894 for to 192 against. It is said as soon as it was seen that the town was going "dry" all the "wet" people who had not voted cast their votes for the "dry" ticket. Anyway, it was a big landslide for local option. This makes Nodaway county dry. St. Joseph is the closest town in northwest Missouri where liquor can be purchased and it is predicted that in less than four years the entire state will be without saloons.—Parnell Sentinel.

Shake Hands Maryville.

Maryville fell in line on last Thursday and did for herself one of the greatest deeds for uplift that is possible, by placing herself in the dry column with an overwhelming majority. Old man booze has had some awful punches in the last two years and our opinion is he can't get too many. When Russia jumps into the dries—it is high time for these United States to line up. Maryville has climbed on the wagon and she will find that though taxes may be a little higher, there will be more money to pay them. Merchants will find credit accounts will diminish and those kept will be worth par. Jail and court expenses will decrease. There will be no reeling drunks to obstruct or insult innocent travelers on the streets. You're on the right track, Maryville and everyone of your neighboring towns wish you well. Shake!

State Line Herald (Blanchard).

Much Credit to Newspapers.

A great corner of Northwest Missouri was dry last Thursday when Maryville, the county seat of Nodaway county and the home of the district normal school, voted to oust saloons by a majority of 702.

As a result of the election two of the highest licensed saloons in the United States, each paying a yearly fee of \$5,000, will go out of business. The newspapers of Maryville led the dry fight and much credit is due them for the decisive victory.

In a letter to the Missourian, Ira Richardson, president of the Normal, says:

"You may tell your readers that their Normal school is located in a community whose citizens appreciate their responsibility as custodians of a state school, and that students of this school are surrounded by as strong safeguards as can be found in any school location. Maryville has spoken in no uncertain terms."—Gallatin North Missourian.

Can Boost Normal Now.

The election at Maryville last Thursday resulted in a great victory for the temperance people, there being 894 votes for local option to 192 against. The two saloons of that town which paid \$11,000 to the city for the privilege of selling liquor will be put out of business soon.

In view of this action we can all boost the northwest State Normal now. We hope that all Daviess county young people who desire a higher education will hereafter consider the claims of this institution favorably. The newspapers of Maryville, The Democrat and Tribune, did great service

to the entire county, also to surrounding counties.

Now Proud of County Seat.

The election held in Maryville last Thursday to determine whether the saloons should be shut up or allowed to continue, was somewhat of a surprise to almost every one, as the result showed that that city is strongly in favor of the saloon going out of business.

It was generally conceded it would go dry but it was not thought the majority would be as large as it was. The total vote was 1086, and of that number 894 was against the saloon and only 192 for it. This showing is surely gratifying to the entire county, also to surrounding counties.

The Maryville anti-saloon forces sure have cause to feel proud of the campaign they made for a pure town.

There is great rejoicing over the result all over the county, as every one has a pride in their county seat and as long as the saloon was allowed to run there they could not point to it with genuine pride, but now they can, also with pride at the overwhelming vote by which the people sat down on the notorious business of our otherwise progressive and beautiful country town.

This will also be a great thing for the State Normal school that is located there, as the people can now send their children there with no fear of the immoral influences that are always to be found where the saloon is countenanced.

This is not only true in the county but in all the adjoining counties.—Clemont News.

PAY YOUR
LAUNDRY BILLS
WISH CASH

The increased cost of materials and labor, and the necessary time and added expense of collecting bills makes it obvious that we should adopt

A Cash Basis
Beginning March 1Coupon Books for
Sale
Maryville Laundry

Phone 700

for the temperance cause and should be given due credit for the results.—Galatin Democrat.

Good Advertisement for City.

Now that the people of Maryville have spoken in no uncertain terms on the saloon question, the last obstacle to a college town has been removed and the verdict will be a great advertisement for the school and the town.—Bethany Democrat.

To Be Highly Commended.

At a special election at Maryville Thursday the two \$5,200 saloons were voted out by a majority of 702, there being 192 "wet" votes, 894 "dry" votes, a total of 1,086. Maryville is to be highly commended.—Worth County Tribune.

Satisfaction to All.

The people of Maryville spoke in no uncertain terms at the election held in that city last Thursday. There is one thing that they are to be congratulated upon and that is there are no sore spots or ill feelings existing among the citizens over the results, as is generally the case in such elections. It was a matter that concerned them and was for them to decide, which has been done to the satisfaction of the people of Maryville.—Conception Courier.

Swept Platter Almost Clean.

Hopkins wishes to join the many others in extending congratulations to Maryville over the result of the local option election held in that city February 3, when the town voted "dry" by a majority of 702 out of 1,086 votes cast, showing that when the papers of a place join with the ministers and better element in general in fighting an evil, the platter is swept almost clean.—Hopkins Journal.

Now For Good Ball Team.

Maryville citizens voted on local option last Thursday and the "wets" were snowed under so bad that it is doubtful whether they will ever be resurrected. The "drys" turned in a vote that made old Satan shake. They knocked out the two highest licensed saloons in the United States by a majority of 702 votes. The e'wets' only showed up 155 for the sale of intoxicants, which shows that they were few and far between. Undoubtedly if many of Stanberry's customers could have gone up and voted they would have made it a little stronger for the "wets" but soon the travel up on No. 3 and back on No. 14 won't be so great and Maryville will have less visitors from the "wet" source of Gentry county.

Some folks will now have to make friends with some kind of stomach bitters or join the pump aggregation and drink heartily of the city water. Both of the daily papers of Maryville were a big help to the "drys" and they fought a good battle, and every decent citizen should congratulate them on their strong fight.

Editor Hull of the Tribune kept constantly placing the situation before the many readers every day. The Democrat-Forum staff also hit them hard. Many folks would not send their children to the State Normal on account of the saloons. Now that

the city has voted dry they can enroll them, and from all the talk by Nodaway county papers there will be many enrolled. Maryville has long had the name of getting the highest saloon license of any town or city in the United States, getting from each saloon \$5,400 a year.

That's the way Edison spends most of his time. In the lab. And that's how he will spend his birthday.

Asked for a little birthday talk, Mr. Edison replied: "The way to be happy and healthy is to be busy all the time. I find that as I approach sixty-nine I have just begun to live. If you are busy you don't have time to grow old. I don't work by the clock and accordingly I don't feel that I am getting any older. I work till I finish a thing, and then," he said, smiling, "if there is nothing else to be done, I go home."

"I hope that everyone will feel as young and as pleased with life as I do when their sixty-ninth birthday comes along."

Only One Day More
Tomorrow—Saturday, of ourLive Model
House Dress SaleIf You Have't Already Taken Advantage
of These Bargains, Do So Tomorrow

Haines
HAS IT CHEAPER.

By the Haines Bunch without the Boss

THOS EDISON 69 TODAY

WILL CELEBRATE IT AS USUAL IN
THE "LAB."Noted Inventor Tells Friend of 21
Years That He is Just as
Youthful.

Thomas Alva Edison reaches the sixty-ninth milestone of his life today. The years seem to rest lightly on the great inventor. He is still Hale, hearty and active and as deeply interested in what the coming year has in store as a youth with all of life ahead.

"The future means as much to me at sixty-nine as it does to you at twenty-five, young man," said Mr. Edison to a young friend not long ago.

In other words, Edison is "still going strong" at sixty-nine. Not a day passes that he does not spend from twelve to eighteen hours in his laboratory. He shows no signs of slowing up the pace he has held for over fifty years. He is alert and not a detail of the business around him escapes his eye and attention. To those who are associated with him in business he is "Our Old Man." Edison, white-haired, stepping briskly, is a familiar figure in every corner of his vast laboratories at Orange, N. J.

It is a difficult matter to corner Thomas A. Edison, to get him really to the point where he will give up a few minutes to an interview. He is naturally averse to interviews, anyway. He has a distaste for publicity. He is a poor press agent. Like Napoleon, he will gladly give up almost anything except time. And when a visitor is lucky enough to corner him somewhere in the laboratory, the inventor is usually occupied with something that demands his attention every minute.

"Where's the 'Old Man?'" asks someone who just must see Mr. Edison on important business.

"In the lab," is the usual answer.

"Well, I've just got to see him."

"Not a chance. He's been in the lab all morning and he'll be there all afternoon and part of the night from the way things look. Left orders not to disturb him."

That's the way Edison spends most of his time. In the lab. And that's how he will spend his birthday.

Asked for a little birthday talk, Mr. Edison replied: "The way to be happy and healthy is to be busy all the time. I find that as I approach sixty-nine I have just begun to live. If you are busy you don't have time to grow old. I don't work by the clock and accordingly I don't feel that I am getting any older. I work till I finish a thing, and then," he said, smiling, "if there is nothing else to be done, I go home."

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Season and Conditions Bad, Say Peter I. Locks and Floyd Weller in St. Joseph.

"There are very few cattle being fed in my vicinity this season," said Peter I. Locks, a prosperous young stockman of Skidmore, who was down today with a car of hogs of his own raising. Few stock cattle are being wintered, but every one is buying calves and roughing them through until next summer, when they will be grassed and fed

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Dinner for G. B. Holmes, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris entertained at 6 o'clock dinner at their home last night in honor of G. B. Holmes, Jr., who will leave soon for Kansas City. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes, Sr., and daughter, Lucile, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes and son, Harry, Robert, Helen, Russell and Virginia Burris.

Entertained Wednesday Evening.

The first birthday anniversary of Edward Bohm Townsend, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, is being observed at the home today. A large two tier birthday cake forms the centerpiece of the dining table and the one candle for baby Townsend is surrounded by twenty eight candles which represents the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, which was observed Wednesday. The guests are Edwina Michau Forsyth, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bohm of Denver, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Townsend.

Birthday Party

Conception Tuesday Night.

Mrs. A. W. Nelson of Conception gave a very pleasant surprise party for her husband Tuesday night in observance of her husband's birthday anniversary. The evening was passed informally and Mr. Nelson told of life in Denmark, which was, indeed, very interesting. Following this a luncheon was served by the hostess.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Martin, Mrs. L. E. Beam, Miss Corrine Coffman, Messrs. Frank Merrigan, H. F. King and O. W. King.

Surprise Party.

On Tuesday evening a number of young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Carmichael, who live one and a half miles east of Pickering. The evening was spent in playing various games, and at a late hour the guests departed. Those present were: Misses Ida Bosch, Neva McClurg, Ethel Rice, Gladys McClurg, Eva Burks, Ethel McClurg, Laverne Richard, Josephine Wilson, Avis Hackett, Hulda Lunte and Messrs. Earl McClurg, Ray Hackett, Orville McClurg, Champ Rice, Emma Hackett and Charles McClurg. Mrs. Carmichael before her marriage about three weeks ago was Ruth Moore.

I. I. Club Met

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The I. I. Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Brice Hall. The afternoon was spent in doing fancy work, after which refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Florence Moore. There were three visitors for the afternoon, Mrs. A. Fink, Mrs. M. Sybert and Miss Florence Moore were present. The members present were Mrs. John Halasay, Mrs. Al Taylor, Mrs. Elihu Shell, Mrs. Byron Kinsley, Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Wm. Osborn, Miss Lida Onstott, Mrs. Claude Shell and the hostess. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Wm. Osborn.

Missouri Defeats Kansas Twice.
Missouri university has plastered two good defeats in basketball on Kansas this week. The score last night was 42-20, and Wednesday 30-24. K. U. was 5-25 behind at the end of the first half last night. These scores seem to show that Missouri is headed for the championship this year.

State Women's Meeting in Kansas City.
The executive committee of the State Federation of Women's Clubs announced this week that the biennial convention will be held next year in Kansas City.

Farewell Party
Gray Home Last Night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Gray entertained a number of friends at their home, west of Pickering, last night in honor of Miss Lella Carmichael and brothers Homer and Larry, who will soon move with their parents to their new home, near Hopkins. The evening was spent playing 42 and other games, after which refreshments were served.

Those present were: Misses Elsie and Roxie Chambers, Lois and Fern McKee, Alma Scott, Lella Carmichael, Messrs. Melvin Mitchell, Robert Chambers, Henry Swaney, Mac Currey, Otis Faulkner, Leland, Fay and Claude McKee, Homer Larry, Arthur and Clarence Carmichael and Mr. and Mrs. Ike Carmichael.

Interesting Meeting.
Woman's Missionary Society.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon at the manse, with Mrs. William Moll Case, Mrs. F. M. Martin and Mrs. Florence Staples hostesses.

The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. S. G. Gillam. Miss Jessie Parcher read a paper on the "Missionary Work Among the American Indians," and told of the work by the native Indians who have been educated, among their people. Miss Lucile B. Davis and Miss Parcher conducted an imaginary trip to the missions and schools which are kept busy by the Women's Home Missionary board and among the places they stopped were the Pimas and Papago Indians of Arizona, the San Miguel school in Arizona, the Navajo reservation, to the Monas and Piat River Indians in California, the Nez Perces Indians at Lap-

wai, Idaho, the Assiniboin and Sioux Indians at Wolf Point, Mont., the Cherokee Indians of Oklahoma and the Makahs of Neah Bay, Wash. Mrs. Fred Yeomans conducted the map study of Korea and read a paper giving short sketches of the most prominent Koreans, and the changes that have taken place there the last few years. After the study hour a short business session was held and the plans for the colonial tea which will be given February 17 were consummated. Following this refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Birthday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Green, living east of Pickering, entertained Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in playing forty-two and in a guessing contest. Refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hantz, Mr. and Mrs. James Lett, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kelley, Miss Levo Bloomfield, Leta and Lottie Hantz, Thelma Green, Wilbur Cox of Harmony, Harold, Roland and Donald Hantz, Orville Kelley and Forrest Lett.

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Surprise Party,

Paul Greenish Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Greenish entertained a party of young folks at their home in Burlington Junction Wednesday evening from 5 to 7 o'clock in honor of the twelfth birthday anniversary of their son, Paul Greenish. The guests met at the Good home at 5 o'clock, and while Paul was away on an errand they went to the Greenish home and were all ready to receive him when he returned.

The guests were delightfully entertained by their hostess with games and music, and at 6 o'clock a dinner was served. The table was decorated with twelve candles. Mrs. Greenish was assisted in entertaining and serving by Mrs. J. Dale Carter and Miss May Greenish. The guest of honor was the recipient of a number of presents.

The guests were: Helen Good, Lu- dena McKnight, Beatrice Boyer, Esther Monk, Robert Barber, Ivan Gentry, Stanley Ferguson, Ferdinand Men- denhall, Raymond Harrington, Louise Larabee, Etta Trusty, Gertrude Hen- son, Joab Nicholas, Paul Greenish.

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Anniversary Appreciation Sale

Begins Monday Morning
—Lasts Three Days

AS Announced in this paper yesterday, we will celebrate our first anniversary next Tuesday. We propose to institute a three-day sale of seasonable merchandise, and in appreciation of your patronage you will be offered goods at prices lower than you have ever paid in Maryville for goods of this character. On account of the increasing cost of everything carried in our stock, these goods will very likely never reach such low prices again.

Save Money by Buying
In This Big Sale

98c Will Buy

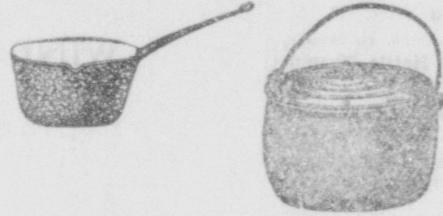


12-oz Copper Nickel Plated Teakettle
Aluminum double boiler regular \$1.50 seller.
Aluminum round roasters, reg. \$1.50 seller.
Aluminum Coffee Percolators
Aluminum bread pans, large size, regular
\$1.25 values

8-qt Aluminum lipped preserving kettle,
regular value \$1.25.
Aluminum sauce pans in three sizes, in sets
of three, with covers.
Aluminum Skillet.

Look up our assortment of Graniteware,
Aluminum ware and Tinware

Your Choice at 48c



19c Will Buy

This assortment includes Aluminum
Dippers, Aluminum Milk Skimmers and Cake
Trimmers, Aluminum Stew Pans, Aluminum
Pie Pans and an assortment of Graniteware.

69c Will Buy



Quality Brand Enamelware
4-qt Coffee Pots, 6-qt Tea Pots, 10-14-17-qt
rolled rim Dish Pans, 8-10-qt lipped Preserving
kettles, 8-10-qt Windsor kettles with
covers. Many other articles not herein listed.

Four Piece Kitchen Sets
Consisting of Paring knife, Butcher knife,
Bread knife and Spatula.
Big assortment of Warranted Butcher Knives

1001 Items at 10c

Crockery Ware
Enamelware
Graniteware
Tinware
Axe Handles
Hammer Handles
Files, Strap Hinges, Small Tools
and Many Others

To every Boy or Girl under 12 years
old who visits our store next Tuesday, Feb.
15, we will give.

Absolutely Free

One Aluminum Collapsible Drinking Cup.

We thank you for your liberal patronage during our first year in business
We have strived to give you the best in hardware, and it is our aim to
merit a share of your business in the future.

Yours for a bigger and better year,

Garrett Hardware Co.
South Side Hardware

Sunday School Class
Entertained at Lincoln Home.

Orlo Lincoln entertained the members of class No. 5 of the Christian church at Pickering last night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lincoln. The evening was pleasantly passed playing games and music, after which a lunch was served.

Those present were: Misses Lucy Summers, Lanta Moberly, Flossie Neal, Alice Neal, Eugenia Hull, Ethel Wright, Gladys Null, Marcella Lincoln, Lenore Thomas, Messrs. Sherman Scott, Champ Wright, Ed Hanna, Alva Burch, and the teacher, Mrs. O. G. Null.

One lot of Boys' Suits at half price
at Berney Harris' big sale.

AFRO-AMERICAN CLUB.

Colored Organization is Planning to
Have Number of Social Affairs.

The Afro-American club gave the
first of a series of social affairs at
their club rooms on East Second street,
last night. These entertainments will
be had each Thursday night and will
consist of literary programs. The social
committee of the club is composed of
Prof. Boone, Earl Martin and
Charles L. Martin.

The guests present last night were:
Aaron Williams, Earl Martin, Charles
L. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gooden,
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allen, Mr. and
Mrs. E. O. Boone, Mr. and Mrs. James
Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Page,
William Palmer, Thomas Jackson,

Mrs. Stephen Martin, Chester Williams, Ernest Oscar Boone, Jr., Theodore McMaster, Dossie Allen, Gertrude Wells, Gloria Wilson, Dosei Carrigan, Sonora White, Lula White, Luverd Page, Paul Smith, Everett White, Herbert Palmer, Raymond Palmer, Raymond Gunn, George Williams and Bud Campbell.

Reduced prices on Shoes and Rubbers at Berney Harris' big sale.

Miss Orliena Helpley left last evening
for Delphos, Kan., where she has a
position as millinery trimmer.

The Democrat-Forum's number on
the People's telephone is 114. Call us
up often.

Judge A. M. Woodson Announces.

Announcement has been made by
Judge A. M. Woodson that he will
seek re-election for the long term in
division No. 1 of the supreme court of
Missouri by nomination upon the Democra-

tic ticket. He bases his claims
upon his record as chief justice, and
says that he has always given his best
efforts to the important duties of the office.

Two members of the county court,
Judges Bailey and Farnan, made an in-
spection trip to the Catterson farm to-
day, three miles north of Maryville in
regard to cutting off a corner of the
Catterson farm so as to make it
rounded instead of square corners, as
it now is.

MARKET REPORTS

TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, Feb. 11.—WHEAT—
May, \$1.18%; July, \$1.14%;
CORN—May, 72%; July, 73%.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Kansas City, Feb. 11.—CATTLE—
Receipts, 800. Market steady. Noth-
ing good.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000. Market
steady; top, \$8.20; bulk, \$7.80@8.10.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000. Market
steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—CATTLE—Re-
ceipts, 3,000. Market steady. Esti-
mate tomorrow, 200.

HOGS—Receipts, 38,000. Market
slow; top, \$8.40. Estimate tomorrow,
28,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 16,000. Market
weak.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Feb. 11.—CATTLE—Re-
ceipts, 400. Market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,500. Market
weak; top, \$8.10.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500. Market
steady.

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Furnished daily by Frost & Speirs.

Eggs, per doz. 23c

Butter fat, per lb. 28c

Hens, per lb. 12c

Stags, per lb. 7c

Springs, per lb. 10c

Old roosters, per lb. 6c

Hides, per lb. 11c

Ducks, per lb. 11c

Geese, per lb. 19c

MRS. SARAH BURCH DIES.

Woman 86 Years Old—Body to Brad-
dystone for Burial.

Mrs. Sarah Burch died at the home
of her son, Edward Edwards, near
Quitman, yesterday evening at 6
o'clock, from old age.

Mrs. Burch was 86 years and 5 days
old. She is survived by three sons,
Jerry of Hopkins, John of Kansas and
Edward, with whom she made her
home. The funeral services will be
held tomorrow in Braddyville.

MILLER SERVICES TODAY.

Children, Grandchildren and Great-
Grandchildren Attend.

The funeral services of the late Mrs.
Jacob Miller were held this afternoon
at Myrtle Tree church. The Rev.
Clarke Weaver conducted the services.
The children who attended the funeral
are: Mrs. Ella Walter, Burlington
Junction; Will Miller, Topeka,
Kan., Mrs. Della Bosch, St. Joseph;
Mrs. Dora Lester, Bedford, Ia.; Mrs.
Josie Reckle, St. Louis; Miss Myrtle
Miller, Clarinda, Ia.; Jake Miller,
Council Bluffs, Ia.; Howard Miller,
Maryville; Ira of Pickering; Mrs.
Edith Spurgeon and Mrs. Norma Mc-
Mahon of Maryville. There are thirty-
three grandchildren and four great
grandchildren. All of the children will
attend the funeral.

Mrs. F. M. Schweikhardt and children
went to Barnard last night, where they
will visit the former's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. T. Mendenhall.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Forsyth re-
turned last night from Kansas City
where they attended the Automobile
show.

Mary, Dorothy, Raymond and Paul
White left last evening for Cozad,
Neb., where they will visit with relatives.

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Have you a little ready money
either as an investor or renter
and would like to get hold of a
slice of first class land while it
is in reach, at price and on terms
to please you. Just forget the
Phone, come and see me.

You will not forget the interview.

Chas. Hyslop

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A large display of
both art and comic
valentines—suitable
for everyone.

**Prices from 2 for 1c
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Count the words; send money with the ad-
dress. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to
ensure insertion in this column same day.

Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is re-
quired for first class work. Our ser-
vice gives this to you. Standard
Publishing Co.

LOST—3,000 ice cream packers.
Please notify Reuillard and he will
call.

Tools for sale, any or all, belonged
to C. J. Eads.

SALESMAN WANTED to look after
our interest in Nodaway and adjacent
counties. Salary or commission. Ad-
dress Lincoln Oil Co., Cleveland, O.

10-11* PRODUCE MARKETS.

ILLINOIS lump coal, \$4.50 ton de-
livered; city scale weight. Don't forget
to get the cash. Yowell & Sons. 10-12*

WANTED—Wood sawing to do by
hour or cord. New outfit. Call 3320.
11-13

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Evans, who have
been the guests of Sheriff and Mrs.
Wallace, returned to their home in St.
Joseph last night.

A STEADY BUSINESS growth is a
sign of good service. If I can serve
you, phone 466. J. E. Carpenter, Ko-
dak Specialist. Headquarters at Bee
Hive.

10-16

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Wood of all kinds.
Prices right. Saunders Bros., Han-
nam 3698. 27-1f

FOR SALE—383 acres, extra good
farm, no overflow or wet land, fine
improvements, fence, etc. Best of
terms. If interested write Major
Quillman, Mo. 8-14

FOR SALE—Few choice Black Lang-
shan cockerels, all from scored stock.
Mrs. J. H. Sobbing, route 4, Parnell.

8-14*

FOR SALE—1100b, all purpose
horse, well broke. Driver or saddle,
6 years old. Marion F. Smith, Demo-
crat-Forum agent, Farmers phone 244.

9-11

FOR SALE—5-acre tract close to
town. Will sell on easy terms. Part
in berries. Write or see C. M. Hart-
ness, Maryville.

9-11*

FOR SALE—Modern 10-room house.
Farmers phone 45-611. 10-1f

FARM FOR RENT—100 acres up-
land near two railroad towns. For
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Joint Public Sale

As I am leaving the farm, we will sell at public sale in order to dissolve
partnership on the Reuben Young farm 6 miles east, 1/2 north of Maryville
on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916

the following described property
13 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—Span of black geldings, coming
4-yr-old weight 2,700; span of mules, coming 4-year-old, weight 2,100; bay
mare, 10 years old, weight 1,400; gray horse, 8 years old, weight 1,400; black
mare, 12 years old, weight 1,300; black mare, smooth mouth, weight 1,000,
gentle for ladies to drive; iron gray filly, coming 3, weight 1,100; span of
coming yearling mules, 1 weanling colt; dark